

Milwaukee County

Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic, 4th District

Intergovernmental Relations Committee Chairperson

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SUPERVISOR DIMITRIJEVIC APPOINTED CHAIR OF COUNTY BOARD INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic, who represents Milwaukee's near South Side and Bay View neighborhoods, has been appointed Chairperson of the County Board's Intergovernmental Relations (IGR) Committee.

"I look forward to serving as Chair of this important County Board Committee," Supervisor Dimitrijevic said. "What happens in Washington and Madison has major impacts here in Milwaukee County. In particular, we're closely watching the State Budget process to see if the State is willing to help pay for the services it mandates the County to perform, which account for the vast majority of Milwaukee County's budget. As the new Chairperson, I'm excited to lead this Committee forward and improve relations with different bodies of government to better serve our collectively shared constituency."

The IGR Committee reviews proposed federal, state and local legislation affecting the County and makes recommendations determining the County's policy on these matters. On special occasions, members of the Committee appear before Congress, the State Legislature and governing bodies of other municipalities to support the County Board's policies.

County Board Chairman Lee Holloway made the appointment August 29. Prior to that date, Chairman Holloway had served as Chair of the IGR Committee. He will now serve as Vice-Chair.